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SHIPMENTS.

ARRIVALS.
October 15, CANTON, British str., 1,110, Bremer, Wm., 15th October, General JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co.

October 18, ANTENOR, British steamer, 1,766 Gt., Shanghai 14th October, General BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

October 18, TRITOS, German str., 1,142, A. Heileken, Saigon 13th October, Rice, S. SCHILLHANS & Co.

October 18, WHAMPOA, British steamer, 1,011, G. G. Fawcett, Dundee 14th September and Wellington 26th, Coals, &—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

October 18, MELBOURNE, British steamer, 1,945, T. E. GILLET, Batavia 6th October, General JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co.

CLEARANCES.
17th, HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.
18th OCTOBER.

Aino, German str., for Amoy.
Iwara, British str., for Saigon.
Lotto, German str., for Haiphong.
Ostos, British str., for Canton.

DEPARTURES.
October 18, ACTIV, Danish str., for Holkow.
October 18, DAPIA, British str., for Amoy.
October 18, LUCIA, British str., for London.
October 18, BENARY, British str., for London.
October 18, DEYAWONGSE, British steamer, for Bangkok.

PASSENGERS.
ARRIVED.
Per Antenor, str., from Shanghai—200 Chineses.
Per Tritos, str., from Saigon—41 Chinese.
Per Whampoa, str., from Dunedin, &c.—Miss Grant, and 46 Chinese.
Per Melbourne, str., from Batavia—181 Chinese.

REPORTS.
The British steamer *Warrubba*, from Batavia, at October, reported bad weather.

The British steamer *Antenor*, from Shanghai, 14th October, reported had fine weather throughout.

The British steamer *Whampoa*, from Dunedin 2nd September, and Wellington 26th, reports experienced moderate winds and thick weather with smooth water throughout.

AMOY SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
6, Chinlung, Chinese str., from Shanghai.
7, Nanking, Chinese str., from Wu-chow.
8, Hainan, British str., from Swatow.
8, Chefoo, British str., from Swatow.
9, Hainan, British str., from Foothow.
10, Chang-wan, Chinese str., from Foochow.
11, Flintshire, British str., from Manila.
10, Namo, British str., from Hongkong.
11, Halibong, British str., from Foochow.
10, Formosa, British str., from Tamsui.
11, Tokion, British str., from Newkong.
11, China, German str., from Swatow.
11, Woosung, British str., from Hongkong.
12, Nestor, British str., from Hongkong.
12, Departures.

7, Earl, British str., for Nanchang.
8, Chinlung, Chinese str., for Swatow.
9, Hainan, British str., for Swatow.
10, Flintshire, British str., from Swatow.
11, China, German str., from Swatow.
11, Namo, British str., for Foochow.
11, Nestor, British str., from Hongkong.
12, Nestor, British str., for Shanghai.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
8, Whoa, British str., from Hankow.
9, Poochi, Chinese str., from Tientsin.
9, Necker, German str., from Bremen.
9, Prato, British str., from Liverpool.
9, Kiang-fo, Chinese str., from Hankow.
9, Nien-tien, German str., from Nagasaki.
9, Wan-chow, British str., from Swatow.
10, Hefer, British str., from London.
10, Sandrift, British str., from Kobe.
10, Albany, British str., from Vancouver.
10, Shinheng, Chinese str., for Chefoo.
10, Sun-nam, British str., for Chefoo.
10, Tung-ho, British str., for Chefoo.
10, Kiang-fo, Chinese str., for Nagasaki.
10, Yotsch-nam, Jap. str., for Nagasaki.
10, Benary, British str., for London.
10, Canton, British steamer, for Swatow.
10, Kwang-ki, Chinese str., for Chefoo.
10, El Dorado, British str., for Chefoo.
10, Pei Hua, British str., for Hankow.
10, Port Adelaid, British str., for New York.
10, Shanghai, British str., for Hankow.
10, Ichang, British str., for Ningpo.
10, Indo, German str., for Nagasaki.

NOTICE.

JYE'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have This Day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of these Perfect Disinfectants, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit purchasers at Wholesale Prices. Extra specimens for shipping and large orders.—

W. G. HUMPHREYS & CO.,
Agents, 10, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 1st October, 1888.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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10, Queen's Road Central,
Opposite Marine Hotel, Hongkong, 30th August, 1888. [1553]

NOTICE.

S. A. N. G. L. O. O. N. G.

GENERAL DRAPERY AND HOSIERY.

Begs to announce that he will open his New Premises on WEDNESDAY, the 10th Oct. at No. 38, Lyndhurst Terrace, where he will show a large and varied STOCK OF WINTER GOODS, &c., &c., and invites inspection.

Hongkong, 9th October, 1888. [1884]

NOTICE.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, on THURSDAY, the 1st November next, at FIVE P.M.

H. J. H. TRIPP, C. C.

Hongkong, 18th October, 1888. [1900]

NOTICES OF FIRMS

NOTICE.

DURING my Temporary Absence in Japan, I have authorized Mr. ALEXANDER LEVY to sign for GEO. R. STEVENS & CO.

GEO. R. STEVENS,
Hongkong, 12th October, 1888. [1919]

NOTICE.

During Mr. DENT's Absence from Canton, Mr. CHARLES JULIUS LAFFREY & MR. FREDERIC LONGLEY SEATON are authorized to sign for HERBERT DENT & CO.

HERBERT DENT & CO., Canton 20th September, 1888. [1798]

NOTICE.

DURING my Temporary Absence in Japan, I have authorized Mr. H. HYNDMAN to sign for ROZARIO & CO.

ROZARIO & CO., HONGKONG, 14th October, 1888. [1920]

NOTICE.

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Dimensions—Length, 4 feet 11 inches; height, 5 feet 2 inches; width, 2 feet 4 inches in Walnut case, carved and polished.

The instrument has six Octaves of Keys, 2 Scale, Six Sets of Reeds, Fifteen Stops, six Mutes, Flute, Bassoon, Cello, Crumhorn, Flageolet, Horn, Fife, Bassoon, Octave Double Bassoon, Pedal, Metal, and Steel.

Grand Organs, Pedal, Swell, Foot Pedal, Foot Blow Pedals, Blow Hamlets, Pedal.

Set of 30 Notes, Pedal Reeds, 10 foot Pipe.

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Hongkong, 6th April, 1888. [1885]

INTIMATIONS.

A LIFE POLICY FOR £200.

ACCORDING to the New AND REVISED FORMS of the STANDARD LIFE OFFICE for China, a Life Policy for £200 can be effected at the following quarterly rates of premium:

First birthday. £2 10s.
Second birthday. £2 3s 1d.
Third birthday. £2 3s 0d.
Fourth birthday. £2 3s 4d.
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A Series of Hand Painted Cards on Satin Illustrative of Chinese and Japanese Life, beautifully painted, and with appropriate Mottoes.

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Printed English Sing Song Cards in a New Dress.

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SHIRTS, COLLARS & WRISTBANDS.

White and Fancy Flannel Town Shirts, Dressing Gowns, Travelling Robes, Cardigan Jackets and Vests, White and Fancy Borden, Halkirk, and Royal Shetland Woolens. Fancy Silk & Cottons, & Bath Linen.

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 4th September, 1888. [1919]

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours are week-days 10 to 12, Saturday 10 to 12, and 2 to 4 p.m.; or 11 or more than 2250 at noon, or later if required. No deposit may exceed £2000 at any one year.

Depositors in the Savings Bank having £100 or more at their credit may at option transfer this sum to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

Interest at the rate of 3% per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their deposit.

Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

Correspondence to the business of the Bank is to be addressed to the Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Savings Bank.

Applications for withdrawal may be made at the Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal.

Applications for shares are to be accompanied by a deposit of Ten Pounds (£10) per share, and a sum payable on call.

If several shares are allotted, the amount applied for the balance of the deposit will be towards the payment due on the allotment. If no shares are allotted, the deposit will be returned in full.

Shanghai, 3rd October, 1888. [1920]

NOTICE.

INTIMATIONS.

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COMPLETE, WITH APPENDIX, PLANS, &c., &
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Flower Parcels of 50 Packets, price, \$10.00
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In Pots of six or more named varieties,
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CLOVE PINES—PANSIES—PHLOX—
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MIGNONETTE MACHEL
(The New Variety).

PRICED CATALOGUE ON APPLICATION.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
Hongkong, 1st August, 1888.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Communications on Editorial matters should be addressed "The Editor," and those on business "The Manager," and sent to individuals by name.

Correspondents are requested to send their name and address with communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good faith.

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TELEPHONE No. 12.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 19TH, 1888.

The message of His Excellency the Governor, read at the meeting of the Legislative Council on Wednesday, gives an extremely gratifying review of the financial position of the colony. The balance of revenue over ordinary expenditure for next year is estimated at \$843,058, to which must be added \$150,000, the amount estimated to be realised from land premiums. It is in the excess of revenue over ordinary expenditure that we must look for the indication of the colony's prosperity. As regards the ability and the justification of the colony to borrow funds for works which will benefit future generations as well as the present, the Governor points to the assets of the colony, in the shape of its unsold lands and its two magnificent systems of waterworks. While agreeing with every word said by His Excellency as to the value of these assets, it would, we think, be a policy attended with some risk to borrow money on them, unless the balance of revenue over extraordinary expenditure showed a sufficient margin to cover interest and sinking fund. The progress of the colony has of late years been remarkable, and there can be no reasonable doubt that it will be equally or still more remarkable in future. But this progress may not be uninterrupted. From 1865 to 1875 the colony practically stood still, and similar periods of stagnation may well occur in the future. The execution of large public works in itself gives to a place a certain measure of fictitious prosperity, which disappears when the works are completed and the amount expended on wages and material is no longer placed in circulation. This has been the experience of many of the newer towns in England, where the rapid growth of population owing to rising industries led to a great demand for houses; the building trade was for a time one of the most important in the place, but when the supply of houses came near overtaking the demand the builders left for other places, and their withdrawal left the houses they occupied vacant, lessened the circulation of money, and caused a period of depression to set in. The carrying out of the Praya Reclamation scheme and the other large public works projected will necessarily cause a large influx of population, but it will be only prudent to bear in mind the possibility of a slack period supervening. The value of land, too, may suffer a decline. His Excellency speaks of the valuation of the Praya reclamation at \$5,714,777 being more than justified by existing market prices but in the natural course of things we must expect the existing market prices to be affected by the throwing of this large extent of land on the market, unless the trade of the colony increases as fast as the reclamation can be made, which would be a very sanguine view indeed. Values may be kept up by holders refusing to sell until the demand has again overtaken the supply, as it assuredly will, but the interval will not, in all probability, be a period of such prosperity as we have been enjoying of late and are likely to enjoy for some years to come while the work is in progress. If the colony then found itself saddled with a loan contracted on too rosy a view of its prosperity it might find a difficulty in meeting its obligations and be compelled to adopt the policy of selling land without the condition of immediate building, and thus abandon to speculators the profit that would otherwise be reaped by the community. For this reason we say that the limits of our borrowing ought to be strictly governed by those of the excess of revenue over ordinary expenditure, which is the true measure of the colony's ability to pay interest and sinking fund, as it is also the point to which lenders would chiefly direct their attention.

If a loan were required, the balance shown in the present estimate would justify one of several millions of dollars; for though it would not be safe to reckon on the prosperity of the colony increasing in the same ratio as during the past twelve years, there is no reason to anticipate any retrogression; the worst that can reasonably be anticipated is that we might stand still. But even if the trade of

the colony were to show a substantial increase in the revenue, it would not be safe to view the increase as a guarantee of opium farm, an increase not mainly dependent on growth of population, but on the facilities now afforded for preventing infringements of the monopoly. It does not, however, appear that a loan is required at once. With the balance in the Treasury at the end of the present year and the estimated surplus next year there will be a total sum of \$878,053 available for the cost of public works and to meet unforeseen contingencies. The extraordinary public works provided for in the Estimates involve an expenditure of \$627,626,

Another case of suicide by eating a quantity of opium took place in a house in Jervois-street yesterday morning. A young man 12 years of age, was found by his father lying dead on the floor with an opium pot beside him. It is supposed that he killed himself because of a quarrel with a brother about a woman.

The amount of building that has been going on in the Peak district will have attracted the attention of most of our readers. There are now over seventy houses on the heights, about half of which are permanently occupied by families of all the year round, the remainder being occupied only during the hot season.

To-morrow afternoon the long awaited shooting trials among the police force is to be fought out at their range at Kowloon. Tex Inspectors and Sergeants have been challenged by an equal number of constables, and rumor says that the "officers" won't get a look in. The ranges are to be 200, 300, and 500 yards. The constables are headed by Watson, while their opponents have Sergeant Butler to captain them.

For the third or fourth time Mr. James H. Cox has been robbed at No. 2, West Villas, Castle-road. Yesterday morning, about a quarter past one, he was wakened up in his bed by a noise, and found his watch, watch-chain, pocket, and gold case, but notwithstanding the agility displayed by Mr. Cox, the robber got away through a bathroom door on to the verandah, and is supposed to have slipped down into the garden of the "Wilderness" (Massa. Heise & Co.'s private residence). The thief must have hidden himself in the front bedroom on going into the room, and it is not known where he left the house. The thief was a bold one, as he was burning in the back-room. The thief walked off with a bundle of keys. The loss amounts to about \$200.

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AND
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH, 1888.

AGGREGATE VALUE OF PRIZES.

COMPETITIONS OPEN TO
ALL COMERS.

- 1.—**ALL COMERS**.—First stage, distance 200 yards; second stage, distance 300 yards; No. of shots, ten at each; entrance fee, 30 cents at each stage; total prize, \$100. No. of shots not allowed to take more than one prize at each distance. Twenty prizes presented by the Association, aggregate value, \$122.
- 2.—**ANY RIFLE**.—Distance 200 yards; No. of shots, ten; entrance fee, \$1. Two prizes.
- 3.—**ASSOCIATION**.—For ANY RIFLE.—Distance 90 yards; No. of shots, ten; entrance fee, \$1. Two prizes.
- 4.—**CIVIL PELT**.—Presented.—Open to pupils of Hongkong Public Schools under 16 years of age; Rifle, Boot Rifle under 40 Cal.; distance about 150 yards; No. of rounds, seven, and one sighting shot. Four prizes.

COMPETITIONS OPEN TO MEMBERS.

- 5.—**PRESIDENT**.—Distance, 300 yards; No. of shots, fifteen at 600 yards. Two prizes.
- 6.—**QUEEN'S 1ST STAGE**.—Distance, 200, 500, and 600 yards; No. of shots, seven at each; entrance fee, \$1. Three prizes.
- 7.—**QUEEN'S 2ND STAGE**.—Distance, 500 and 600 yards; No. of shots, ten at 500 yards; No. of shots, fifteen at 600 yards. Two prizes.
- 8.—**QUEEN'S 3RD STAGE**.—Distance, 800 and 900 yards; No. of shots, ten at each; entrance fee, \$1. Two prizes.

9.—**LADIES**.—Open to Lady members of their respective societies, distance, 300 yards; No. of shots seven; entrance fee, none. Five prizes.

AGGREGATES OPEN TO ALL COMERS.

- 10.—**VOLUNTEER AGGREGATE**.—Restricted to efficient Volunteers whose respective scores in the "All Comers" make up the highest aggregate; entrance fee, \$1. Three prizes.
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12.—**POLICE AGGREGATE**.—For competitors whose respective scores in the "Any Rifle" and "Handicap" make up the highest aggregate; entrance fee, \$1. Two prizes.

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- 13.—**EDWARD SCHELLHAAS & CO.**.—Silver Cup presented by the Civilian Members of the Hongkong Rifle Association; open to the Officers of the 58th Regt., and to be won by the highest aggregate score made in the 1st Stage Queen's; entrance fee, none.

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A MATCH RIFLE with 300 rounds of ammunition, presented for the competitor whose scores in the "All Comers" and "Any Rifle" and "Second Stage" Queen's make up the highest aggregate. Winner of Cup excluded from taking this prize, entrance fee, \$3.

SWEET-STAKER at Running Man and Vanishing Target. Open to all comers during the meeting. Any Rifle.

Pools at 200, 500 yards and saucers. Open to all comers. M. H. Ellis or Carbuncle.

CONDITIONS, ETC.

1.—To avoid delay, intending Competitors are strongly advised to enter and obtain tickets for the various competitions before the date of the meeting. Application to be made to the Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Club.

2.—Post entries will be accepted on the ground. Sights, paper or sliding wind-gauges on above, are not allowed.

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